

Film series at Sumner Auditorium

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The University of California, San Diego, will present a series of films in its Sumner Auditorium starting Thursday, March 9. The showings begin at 8:00 p.m. Admission is free. The series is presented primarily for the students and staff, but the public will be admitted if seats are available in the 250-seat auditorium at the time of the showing.

Particularly worthy of note is the presentation of two rarely-seen films. One is "Animal Farm", the brilliant cartoon version of George Orwell's satire on Communism. The other is "The Hunters", a documentary film dealing with the life of the people of the Kalahari Desert in Africa. An unflinching study of the battle for survival in a hostile environment, it is distinguished by a deeply poetic commentary by the producer, John Marshall.

Of especial interest to San Diegans should be on of the shorts to be shown on May 18. The is "Metal Dimensions", which deals with the work of Harry Bertoia, internationally known American sculptor who lived and worked in San Diego in the late 40s and early 50s.

The series is presented under the auspices of the George Clement Perkins Fund Panel.